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MICHAEL BARRY GRAVESTOCK Junior Party (Patent 5,981,528)

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Patent Interference No. 105,273

JUDGMENT - REQUEST FOR ADVERSE - Bd.R. 127(b)

Before Schafer, Tierney, and Moore, Administrative Patent Judges.

Moore, Administrative Patent Judge.

Gravestock has filed Paper 31, a Request for Adverse Judgment as to count 2, the only count of this interference.

Upon consideration of the Request for Adverse Judgment, it is hereby:

ORDERED that judgment on priority as to Count 2 (Paper 21, pages 2 and 3) is awarded against junior party Michael Barry Gravestock.

FURTHER ORDERED that junior party Michael Barry Gravestock is not entitled to a patent containing claims 1-6 and 8 (corresponding to Count 2) of patent 5,981,528.

FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this paper shall be made of record in files of application 09/138,209 and patent 5,981,528.

FURTHER ORDERED that as the parties have stated that there is a settlement agreement, the parties shall direct attention to 35 U.S.C. § 135(c) and 37 CFR § 41.205(a) [see former rules 37 CFR § 1.661 and § 1.666].

| /Richard E. Schafer/ RICHARD E. SCHAFER Administrative Patent Judge |) |
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